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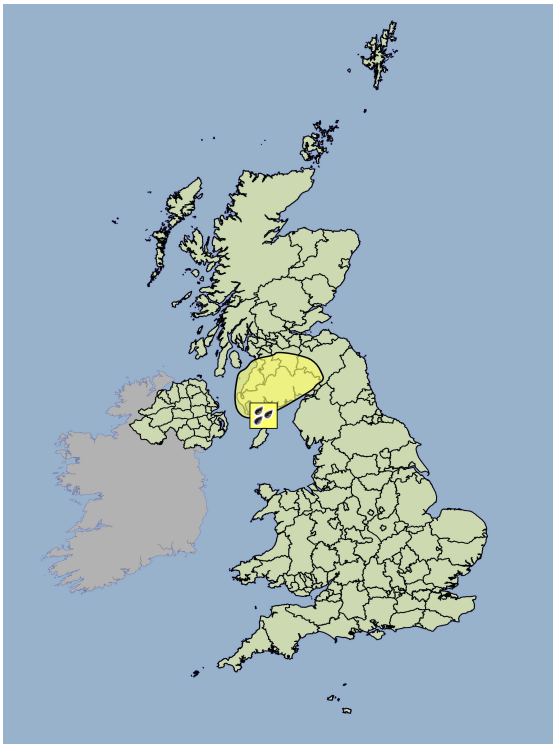

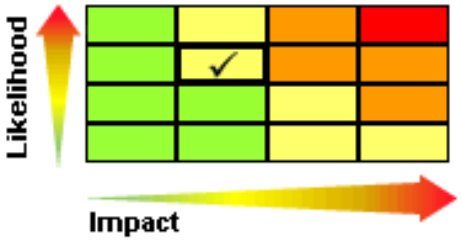

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A deep Atlantic low pressure system is expected to push active fronts across Scotland on Friday, which could stall across the southwest of Scotland for a time. There is currently large uncertainty surrounding the precise details of rainfall amounts, but the largest totals are expected to accumulate over areas of high ground.

Given recent significant rainfall events there is a risk of further localised flooding. We expect to update this warning during the coming days as more information becomes available.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Fri, 05th Feb 2016** until **23:55 on Fri, 05th Feb 2016**

Light to moderate rain early on Friday morning is expected to merge into longer spells of rain later in the day. There is a chance that the rain could be heavy and persistent at times, particularly across the high ground of Dumfries and Galloway.

Please be aware of the risk of some travel disruption due to localised flooding.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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For the following areas

- SW Scotland, Lothian Borders
  - Dumfries and Galloway
  - Scottish Borders
- Strathclyde
  - East Ayrshire
  - North Ayrshire
  - South Ayrshire
  - South Lanarkshire

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